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Note verbale dated 7 November 2001 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the Philippines to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee

The Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the Republic of the Philippines to the United Nations presents his compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to Security Council resolution 1267 (1999), and with reference to paragraph 20 of Security Council resolution 1333 (2000), has the honour to inform the Committee that the Philippine Government has undertaken the following measures to implement the aforementioned resolution.

1. Trade sanctions (resolution 1333 (2000), para. 5 (a) and para. 10)

The Government of the Philippines has issued directives to implement an embargo on arms and related vehicles and equipment, including the use of flag vessels and aircraft as indicated in paragraph 5 of resolution 1333 (2000) and has banned export of chemical acetic anhydride to the territories specified in paragraph 10 of resolution 1333 (2000).

2. Travel ban (resolution 1333 (2000), para. 14)

The Bureau of Immigration has adopted regulations and procedures to restrict the entry or transit to the Philippines of officials specified in paragraph 14 of resolution 1333 (2000).

3. Aviation sanctions (resolution 1333 (2000), para. 11)

The Government of the Philippines has instituted a policy to ban take-off and landing rights to aircraft falling within the parameters set by paragraph 11 of resolution 1333 (2000).

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4. Monitoring of Bin Laden and Al-Qaida organization (resolution 1333 (2000), para. 8)

The Armed Forces of the Philippines has intensified its intelligence and counterintelligence linkages as well as enhanced the intelligence skills of its officials in line with the monitoring requirements set out in paragraph 8 of resolution 1333 (2000).